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1. We contacted Dr. Nicholas N. Popov to determine if he could add anything to biographic information on Dr. [] Mongolian mathematician, mentioned in SS-3-3, 112, 160. Popov is the sub-source of code SS-3 and he states that his only contact with [] was during a dinner given by the Action Research Society, Tokyo, August 1958. The conversation between the two men was primarily chit chat so there was very little opportunity to get any solid biographic information.

2. [] is between 35 and 40 years of age, is about 5 ft. 10 in. tall and weighs about 150 pounds. He speaks fluent Russian and good English in addition to his native language. He received his PhD in mathematics from Moscow State University and now teaches higher mathematics at the University of Ulan Bator. [] was very pleasant and Popov got the distinct impression that [] is not a Communist, either actively or ideologically. Sorry we cannot give you any more information.

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